

BY AUTHORITY.

Sale of Government Lots on Thurston Avenue, South Slope Punchbowl Hill, Honolulu, Oahu.

On TUESDAY, May 25, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, at the front entrance of the Executive Building, will be sold at Public Auction Five Government Lots, situated on the makai side of Thurston Avenue, opposite the residence of H. D. Johnson and near Wilder Avenue, South Slope Punchbowl Hill, Honolulu, Oahu, and numbered from 620 to 624.

Upset Price: Lot 620, \$400; Lot 621, \$750; Lot 622, \$750; Lot 623, \$500; Lot 624, \$400.

These lots have a frontage of 100 to 120 feet on Thurston Avenue and depth of 175 to 300 feet according to location.

The conditions of sale of these Lots are as follows:

One fourth of the purchase price to be paid at the fall of the hammer and the balance in equal payments in one, two and three years, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum.

The purchaser to join with the Minister of the Interior in an Agreement of sale, containing the following conditions and stipulations:

1. The purchaser to have immediate right of possession.

2. To build a residence on the premises and to live therein before the expiration of three years from date of Agreement.

3. To pay taxes on the premises from the date of the Agreement, upon the full value thereof.

4. The agreement not assignable.

5. Purchase price may be paid in full at any time during the said three years, thereby stopping interest.

6. At the expiration of three years from the date of the agreement, if the conditions of the same shall have been performed, a Land Patent shall be delivered to the purchaser or his heirs.

Map showing the above lots can be seen at the Interior Department, Honolulu, Oahu.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior,
Interior Office, April 21, 1897.
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Irrigation Notice.

Holders of water privileges, or those paying water rates, are hereby notified that the hours for irrigation purposes are from 6 to 8 o'clock A. M. and from 4 to 6 o'clock P. M.

ANDREW BROWN,
Supt. Honolulu Water Works,
Approved: J. A. KING, Minister of Interior,
Honolulu, H. I., April 6, 1897.
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OFFICE OF BOARD OF HEALTH,
HONOLULU, H. I., April 21, 1897.
At a meeting of the Board, held this date, William O. Smith, Esq., was elected President of the Board of Health, Vice Henry E. Cooper, Esq., resigned.

CHARLES WILCOX,
Secretary of Board of Health,
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The Evening Bulletin.

DANIEL LOGAN, Editor.

FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 1897.

THEN AND NOW.

Reading some bitter reflections upon the course of certain public affairs in the Advertiser recalls the time, not far remote, when the same purported medium of public opinion was wont to abuse without license any and all that ventured upon the least criticism of the Government, or even of its most inconsequential understrappers. If there is a basis of fact today for the charges of "star chamber" practices, and the insouciance of official misdoings under the influence of nepotism, which that paper sets forth, the cause lies to a great extent in the former course of itself as just indicated. It happens, too, that a portion of the period when the Advertiser was thus servile, and respectful chiefly of the "regular flow of cash dividends" from the public treasury into its own business

office safe, was a time when there was more need of an independent press in Hawaii than there had been for some time before or has been since. That was the Advertiser's haymaking time, when it had a pull availing to get its then editor a salary in an utterly useless labor commission. Does the Advertiser now, however, not give away the solution of its sudden transformation from an automatic official organ into an apparently high-minded tribune of the dear people, in the following words:

It may be "running the government on business principles" to manage it as a sugar plantation is often run by the manager and a few directors, with no personal interest in political affairs taken by the stockholders, so long as some relative has a lucrative position, and no interruption occurs in the regular flow of cash dividends.

The Advertiser appears as one of the stockholders who do take an interest in political affairs. One of its near relatives—its reputed controlling owner—has a lucrative position. Thus its interest in public concerns is quite explained by itself. Surely there is no connection, though, between the acclimated perspiration of the Advertiser this cool morning and the charges of Dame Gossip implicating the lucratively positioned relative in making a farce of the quarantine that unfortunately cages his throbbing indisposableness. If such should be the case it is a pity in being a premature display of pettishness that will do the relative in lucrative position no good. For the Board of Health has investigated the charges in question, with the result that the Haman who made them is to be hanged to the gatepost from which he stole the yellow flag. That is between us the independent press, the lucratively related Advertiser and the said gatepost.

A PROPER DELEGATE.

Mr. Damon will worthily represent the Government of Hawaii at the Diamond Jubilee celebration in London. Being a broad gauge man he will have a sympathy with the unparalleled event which will enable him to enjoy it thoroughly. As an observant man, and one with an eye to the practical, the Minister of Finance may also be expected to more than earn his expenses, in obtaining a rich store of new ideas gathered both in the United States and the United Kingdom. The sea voyages outward will give him leisure to perfect his plans for acquiring fresh knowledge, while those homeward will avail similarly for arranging and digesting the acquired facts, marshaling them into effective array for schemes of public reform and improvement at home. In short, Minister Damon's projected tour abroad is just what he needs to top off his many qualities of efficient statesmanship. If he be able to carry out his admirable funding scheme, either in America or England, that alone would be a triumph to make his fame as a public man perpetual in the annals of these Hawaiian Islands.

Diphtheria must be guarded against with even greater vigilance than is smallpox. Thorough sanitation is the only safeguard. This must include a rigid inspection of dairies, as the germs take with deadly kindness to milk. Quarantine may be carried too far. Sanitation cannot.

President Dole is to be congratulated on attaining to the fifty-third milestone in his journey of life, enjoying good health and unimpaired capacities for fulfilling the duties of his high office. The

President by his unquestioned ability and irreproachable character holds the personal respect and esteem of the public at large without regard to political differences. To have such a man at its head is more important to a republic than to other forms of government.

Cricket Match Tomorrow.

Lieutenant Plunkett of the U. S. gunboat Petrel is organizing an eleven from the three American warships in port to play a combination team from H. B. M. S. Wild Swan and the Honolulu Cricket Club tomorrow afternoon on the old baseball grounds at Makiki. The Philadelphia has aboard quite a number of excellent cricketers. It will be remembered that when she was here last there were some very exciting games. A cordial invitation is extended to any one who would like to see an interesting match. The team to represent the British will be selected from the following: Capt. Napier, Lieutenant Church, Lieutenant Cole, Staff Paymaster Ward, Dr. Marriott and Mr. Milligan of H. B. M. S. Wild Swan, and Dr. Murray, A. R. Hatfield, H. Vincent, H. Herbert, A. M. Hewitt, Tom Lishman, J. H. Catton, Jr., and Wm. Thompson representing the home team. H. Herbert, captain of the H. C. C., intimates late this afternoon a change of arrangements owing to the departure of the Petrel tomorrow, but there will be a good match got up anyway.

More South Sea Colonists.

"A chance to be a millionaire" is the way the South Sea Island Mining and Colonization Company announces its plans to take a shipload of adventurers to the Solomon Islands. Captain Quinton and Captain Alex. McLean, who styles himself "the irrepressible," are at the head of the scheme. Their plan is to charge the colonists \$100 each for a share in the company. Each share will entitle the holder to a bunk in the vessel that is to sail for the South seas with the two captains in command. The old whaler Mermaid is the vessel that the promoters' colony propose to navigate to the Solomons, but in their prospectus they style her as the fast sailing clipper bark and give on or about May 1 as the sailing day. The great object of the expedition, say the promoters, is, on arriving at the islands, to erect a sawmill, carry on ship-building, stock raising and agriculture and also mining.—Examiner.

The Singing Literary.

If John L. Sullivan gets no reply to his challenge to Fitzsimmons as a prize-fighter he ought to challenge John J. Ingalls as a ring reporter. A careful comparison of the recent writings of each puts the Boston litterateur several descriptive rounds ahead. Nothing that the gentleman from Kansas ever wrote quite compares with Sullivan's tender passages about the inspiring influence of woman, as shown in Fitzsimmons' quick response to the advice of his excited wife to "hit the hound in the ribs—never mind his jaw."—S. F. Chronicle.

The President's Church.

President McKinley has selected the Metropolitan as the President's church. The Metropolitan was built by the Methodists of the country and not by the congregation. It is a national church. When President Grant attended the church a pew was set apart for the President of the United States and the sum of \$5000 contributed by a friend of the church to dedicate the pew to the use of the President. It has also pews set apart for the Vice-President and for the Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court and for some of the States and large cities.—Exchange.

Master and Maid.

The Vaidis sisters, aerialists, were continued favorites. These daring performers nightly receive deafening applause for their exceptionally clever work perched high above the audience, and even though they are now in their ninth week at this house they command as close attention as they did on their opening night. New York Dramatic News, November 9, 1895.

Timely Topics

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